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PART V.

Season Report for the Week ending with the 32nd Saturday in 1923 (11th August 1923).

District and Station	Rainfall up to 8 A. M. on Saturday										Price of food grains in seers per rupee and market fluctuations in prices of food grains			
	This week		Last ten years' average for the corresponding week		Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1923									
					This year		Average of past ten years		Excess (+) or defect (—) of column 4 compared with column 5					
1	2		3		4		5		6		7			
	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.		This week	Past week	Past ten years fortnightly average
BANGALORE.												Seers	Seers	Seers
Bangalore C. & M. Station	1	16	Information not furnished.											
,, City & Taluk	0	60	0	64	15	76	13	45	+ 2	31				
Hoskote	0	71	0	43	9	16	10	80	— 1	64				
Dodballapur	0	00	0	25	10	29	11	57	— 1	28	Rice, 2nd sort	4·50	4·50	7·00
Nelamangala	0	77	0	28	12	98	10	90	+ 2	08	Ragi	10·00	10·00	16·00
Kankanhalli	0	33	0	36	8	91	12	83	— 3	92				
Magadi	0	14	0	48	10	96	11	91	— 0	95	Kulthi	9·00	9·00	12·00
Channapatna	0	62	0	25	13	80	12	84	+ 0	96				
Anekal	0	86	0	56	10	32	12	37	— 2	05	Kadale	5·50	5·50	7·00
Devanhalli	0	20	0	33	6	47	11	39	— 4	92				
Closepet	0	61	0	46	14	78	12	94	+ 1	84				
District average...	0	48	0	40	11	34	12	10	— 0	76				
KOLAR.														
Kolar	0	00	0	81	5	72	12	32	— 6	60				
Bowringpet	0	35	0	86	5	87	13	20	— 7	33	Rice, 2nd sort.	4·50	4·50	5·50
Chintamani	0	08	0	58	3	35	11	61	— 8	26	Ragi	10·00	10·50	11·50
Mulbagal	0	26	0	56	4	92	11	48	— 6	56				
Sidlaghatta	0	80	0	63	7	47	12	78	— 5	31	Kulthi	9·25	9·50	10·25
Chikballapur	1	30	1	07	9	47	13	20	— 3	73				
Bagepalli	0	00	0	66	7	44	11	72	— 4	28	Kadale	6·50	6·25	6·00
Goribidnur	0	69	0	67	6	01	12	63	— 6	62				
Malur	0	47	0	95	7	55	12	22	— 4	67				
Srinivaspur	0	23	0	66	3	68	12	02	— 8	34				
Gudibanda	0	21	0	81	6	57	13	57	— 7	00				
District average ...	0	40	0	75	6	19	12	43	— 6	24				
TUMKUR.														
Tumkur	0	40	0	62	9	46	12	54	— 3	08				
Maddagiri	0	80	0	27	11	77	11	92	— 0	15	Rice, 2nd sort.	5·00	4·50	8·00
Chiknayakanhalli	0	25	0	31	15	44	11	64	+ 3	80				
Sira	0	20	0	29	9	53	9	30	+ 0	23	Ragi	10·00	10·50	13·00
Gubbi	0	28	0	58	4	43	13	05	— 8	62				
Tiptur	0	15	0	42	8	75	9	80	— 1	05	Kulthi	10·00	9·00	10·00
Pavagada	0	00	0	28	5	31	9	80	— 4	49				
Kunigal	0	00	0	57	11	08	12	70	— 1	62	Kadale	6·00	6·25	8·80
Koratagere	0	18	0	45	7	68	11	77	— 4	09				
Turuvekere	0	00	0	35	7	66	11	54	— 3	88				
District average ...	0	22	0	41	9	11	11	41	— 2	30				

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	This week		Last ten years' average for the corresponding week		Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1923									
					This year		Average of past ten years		Excess (+) or defect (—) of column 4 compared with column 5					
1	2		3		4		5		6		7			
	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.		This week	Past week	Past ten years' fortnightly average
MYSORE.												Seers	Seers	Seers
Mysore ...	0	56	0	34	14	49	12	28	+ 2	21	Rice, 2nd sort.	4·50	4·50	4·13
Chamrajnagar ...	0	44	0	26	9	71	10	48	— 0	77	Ragi	10·00	10·00	10·03
Seringapatam ...	0	20	0	36	13	75	11	29	+ 2	46	Kulthi	10·00	10·00	8·15
Hunsur ...	1	45	0	49	19	25	15	32	+ 3	93	Kadale	5·00	5·00	5·00
Yedatore ...	1	13	0	39	21	49	12	00	+ 9	49				
Heggaddevankote ...	2	69	0	78	23	39	18	34	+ 5	05				
Gundlupet ...	0	23	0	14	13	93	12	21	+ 1	72				
Nanjangud ...	0	30	0	24	13	17	13	21	— 0	04				
T.-Narsipur ...	0	00	0	25	11	83	10	82	+ 1	01				
Malvalli ...	0	20	0	31	11	65	11	68	— 0	03				
Mandya ...	0	18	0	12	13	66	10	48	+ 3	18				
Krishnarajpete ...	0	49	0	22	16	59	13	40	+ 3	19				
Nagamangala ...	0	00	0	06	8	61	9	00	— 0	39				
District average...	0	61	0	30	14	73	12	34	+ 2	39				
HASSAN.														
Hassan ...	1	75	0	65	21	57	15	92	+ 5	65	Rice, 2nd sort.	5·00	5·00	6·00
Manjarabad (Sakleapur)	14	83	6	56	25	09	55	46	+39	63	Ragi	10·00	10·25	14·00
Arkalgud ...	6	22	1	70	50	20	20	41	+29	79	Kulthi	9·25	9·50	12·00
Belur ...	2	84	1	33	53	55	20	24	+33	31	Kadale	5·25	5·25	6·00
Channarayapatna ...	0	61	0	34	17	73	13	92	+ 3	81				
Arsikere ...	1	67	0	48	16	87	11	31	+ 5	56				
Hole-Narsipur ...	0	66	0	46	20	72	13	35	+ 7	37				
Alur ...	3	75	1	28	36	34	22	58	+13	76				
District average...	4	04	1	60	39	01	21	65	+17	36				
SHIMOGA.														
Shimoga ...	1	83	1	11	33	03	17	61	+15	42	Rice, 2nd sort.	5·50	5·00	5·98
Channagiri ...	1	13	0	92	17	06	14	38	+ 2	68	Ragi	13·00	12·00	12·53
Honnali ...	0	90	0	47	18	38	10	79	+ 7	59	Kulthi	9·00	8·00	8·79
Shikarpur ...	2	93	1	45	39	88	18	89	+20	99				
Sorab ...	7	80	3	87	68	68	36	06	+32	62				
Sagar ...	14	20	4	50	114	29	50	04	+64	25				
Nagar (Kallurkatte)...	15	85	6	14	121	10	67	14	+53	96				
Tirthahalli ...	22	06	8	34	142	78	77	26	+65	52				
Kumsi ...	3	74	1	62	42	15	23	73	+18	42				
District average...	7	83	3	16	66	37	35	10	+31	27				
KADUR.														
Chikmagalur ...	3	88	0	26	32	93	16	55	+16	38	Rice, 2nd sort.	5·00	5·00	5·00
Kadur ...	0	31	0	12	19	81	9	33	+10	48	Ragi	11·00	11·00	11·00
Tarikere ...	1	59	0	75	33	64	18	78	+14	86	Kulthi	8·00	8·00	8·00
Koppa ...	18	01	4	71	136	26	66	21	+70	05	Kadale	6·50	6·50	6·00
Mudgere ...	13	00	2	78	98	30	57	17	+41	13				
Narasimharajapura ...	12	62	2	54	91	30	47	92	+43	38				
Sringeri ...	*	*	6	67	*	*	94	00	*	*				
District average...			2	55			44	28						
CHITALDRUG.														
Chitaldrug ...	0	14	0	37	12	52	9	66	+ 2	86	Rice, 2nd sort.	5·25	5·25	6·00
Challakere ...	0	00	0	10	9	61	7	79	+ 1	82	Ragi	12·50	12·00	14·00
Hiriyur ...	0	00	0	21	10	81	10	08	+ 0	73	Kulthi	8·00	8·00	12·00
Holalkere ...	0	41	0	38	15	31	10	14	+ 5	17	Cholum	11·50	11·00	13·00
Davangere ...	0	73	0	57	18	81	10	93	+ 7	88	Kadale	6·00	7·00	4·00
Molakalmuru ...	0	34	0	14	7	48	8	23	— 0	75				
Jagalur ...	0	32	0	48	15	14	9	07	+ 6	07				
Hosdurga ...	0	27	0	21	19	92	10	58	+ 9	34				
Haribar ...	0	61	0	60	9	89	10	07	— 0	18				
District average...	0	32	0	34	13	28	9	62	+ 3	66				
Provincial average ...	0	0	1	19	0	00	19	87	0	00				

NOTE—Rice (husked)—Oryza Sativa.
Ragi—Eleusine Corocana.
Kulthi—(Horse gram) Doliohos Biflorus.

*Not received.
Cholum—Sorghum Vulgare.
Kadale—(Bengal gram) Cicer Arietinum.

DISTRICT REPORT.

8. Markets how supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable out-turn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. Prospects of season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, area affected by scarcity, number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.

11. Public Health.

12. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage of fodder, etc.

BANGALORE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION.

Average for the past five years of the corresponding week.—

		Average.	*Current.*	
Prices of food grains.—Boiled rice, 2nd sort...		4·70	5·17	Seers per rupee.
	Ragi	8.52	10·31	

Agricultural operations.—Fields are being harrowed. The standing crops are fair Cattle are in good condition. Water and fodder are sufficient.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Markets are well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Ploughing operations are going on in Dodballapur Taluk and harrowing operations are going on in Nelamangala and Anekal Taluks.

Seeds sown.—Ragi and pulses in all the Taluks except in Dodballapur and Magadi Taluks; Castor in Bangalore and Kankanhalli Taluk and paddy in Channapatna Taluk

Standing crops.—Sugar-cane in all the Taluks; paddy in Bangalore, Hoskote, Dodballapur, Nelamangala and Anekal Taluks; ragi and pulses in Bangalore, Dodballapur, Nelamangala and Kankanhalli Taluks; mulberry in Kankanhalli, Devanhalli and Closepet Sub-Taluk, til in Kankanhalli and Anekal Taluks and potatoes in Hoskote Taluk are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Vaisakhi paddy in Hoskote Taluk.

Damages to crops.—Nil.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. There was rainfall in all the Taluks except Dodballapur but it seems to be insufficient, as the Amildars of Hoskote, Kankanhalli, Magadi Channapatna and Anekal Taluks report that rain is necessary for the crops sown. The Amildar, Magadi Taluk also adds that crops in some places have begun to fade for want of rain. Food stuffs are available. Cooly classes find sufficient labour.

11. Public health is reported to be generally good except for plague in parts of Bangalore, Hoskote, Nelamangala, Channapatna, Anekal and Devanhalli Taluks, and in Closepet Sub-Taluk.

12. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy, except for Cheppe Roga in Bangalore Taluk. Water and fodder are available.

KOLAR.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Seeds sown.*—Ragi, avare and togari in parts of the Chintamani, Mulbagal, Sidlaghatta, Bagepalli and Malur Taluks and the Gudibanda Sub-Taluk.

Crops harvested and their out-turn—Nil.

Standing crops.—Sugar-cane is reported to be in good condition. It is reported that kambli-hula is damaging crops in some villages of the Bowringpet Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Rain is urgently wanted. Prices of food grains stationary. Labour sufficient for cooly classes.

11. Public health is generally good, except for plague in parts of the Sidlaghatta, Chikballapur and Srinivaspur Taluks and fever in parts of the Sidlaghatta and Srinivaspur Taluks and in a village of the Gudibanda Sub-Taluk.

12. Cattle are healthy.
Pasture, fodder and water are available.